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In re the Application of:

Katsumi MIYATA et al.

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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: April 4, 2001

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2000 for one month from March 13, 2001 to April 13, 2001.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. Two copies of this paper are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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